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In re Application of)
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VENKITAKRISHNAN, Padmanabha)
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Serial No. 09/920,382)
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Filing Date: July 31, 2001)
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For: METHOD FOR DERIVING A)
BENCHMARK PROGRAM)
FOR ESTIMATING THE)
MAXIMUM POWER)
CONSUMED IN A)
MICROPROCESSOR)
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Art Unit: 2123

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 25, 2005, please amend the above captioned patent application as follows and consider the following remarks.

There are no amendments to the specification in this responsive paper.

The amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this responsive paper.

The Remarks, with arguments, begin on page 5 of this responsive paper.